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COLLEGEVILLE, PA., THURSDAY, MAY 20, 1915.

THE "HOME PAPER" OF THE MIDDLE SECTION OF PROSPEROUS MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

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About Town Notes

The following were guests at the Collegeville Hotel on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lytton, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. W. S. Gross, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vandergrift and son of Andalusia and Mr. and Mrs. William Stenger Jr. and family of Lambertville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Allebach of Spring Mount spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bartman.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stenger spent Sunday with relatives in Tacony.

Miss Ruth Stroud spent several days last week with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. R. Kubit, of Tacony, motored to Collegeville and spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kubit.

Mr. L. S. Kline and son of Philadelphia spent several days last week at the home of Mrs. Stroud.

Miss Willauer and Mr. Samuel Willauer of Linfield, Mr. Purcell of Overbrook, and Mrs. Heebner of Eagleville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Ingram on Sunday.

Mrs. Shoely has returned home after spending some time with relatives in Philadelphia.

Miss Elizabeth Yerkes entertained a number of young ladies on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Mary Bartman spent the week end with friends in Medford, New Jersey.

Mrs. Stroud is spending the week with relatives in Souderton.

The Collegeville Firemen will hold their annual strawberry and ice cream festival on Saturday evening, June 5.

Mr. Hyman Lamm, formerly of near Collegeville, now a resident of Delaware county, called on a number of old friends in this vicinity, Friday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Sheridan, living with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Ingram, is critically ill. Mrs. Sheridan is 85 years old.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Trinity Reformed church will hold its regular meeting next Monday evening, May 24, at the home of Mrs. Ella Hobson at eight o'clock.

Mrs. J. H. Barrett spent Friday in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Gronewer spent Friday with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. Isaac C. Sutton, Boy Scout Commissioner of Montg. county, will give a talk on the boy scout movement in the auditorium of the High School on next Tuesday evening. He will bring with him several scouts from the Bala troop, who will demonstrate some of the scout "stunts."

Mrs. H. P. Tyson spent Tuesday with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Tyson and children of Barrio and Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Pennsburg visited Mrs. D. M. Hunsicker on Sunday.

Miss Alma Bechtel entertained friends from Philadelphia over the week end.

Mrs. Spousler spent several days last week visiting relatives in Elizabethtown.

Mrs. J. T. Ebert spent Saturday in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Hobson and Miss Catherine Hobson spent Saturday in Cynwyd.

Mrs. G. F. Clamer was in Philadelphia on Saturday.

Mrs. Joseph Butler is spending the week with her daughter in New Bernville, Pa.

Mrs. E. L. Hallman, of Norris-town, entertained the sewing club at the home of Mrs. Thomas Hallman on Monday.

Robert J. Cardwell, of Philadelphia, has purchased of Miss Mary Fox, a house and lot fronting on First avenue, on private terms.

Crescent Literary Society.

Regular meeting of the Crescent Literary Society in the Mennonite schoolhouse near Yerkes on Saturday evening, May 22. Program: Recitations—Ernest Youm, Claude Crist, Alvin Funk, Cora Danewer, Florence Crist; readings—Mary Greenly, Edith Hilborn, Eva Groff, Helen Danewer, Edna Shaffer, Florence Smith, Emily Pfeiffer; instrumental solos—Raymond Smith, Martha Famous, John Mulligan; dialogue—Lees Yeager.

Estate For Her Children.

The will of Sophie Landis, late of Lower Providence, admitted to probate in the Register of Wills office Tuesday, directs that deceased's estate is to be converted into cash and then equally divided among her children, Amanda, Mary, Emma, Elizabeth and Harriet. The children are named as executors.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY,
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1896.

A. W. GLASSON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

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Sold by all Druggists.

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The Death Roll

Samuel D. Shupe.

Samuel D. Shupe, formerly of Evansburg, died on May 11 at his residence 237 East Wood street, Norris-town, aged 64 years. The wife and one daughter survive. The funeral was held on Saturday at 2 p. m. Interment at Riverside cemetery; undertaker J. L. Bechtel in charge.

Mary J. Kremer.

Mary J. Kremer, widow of the late George W. Kremer of Kulpsville, died last Friday at the home of Michael M. Kremer, Schwenksville, aged 77. Funeral on Tuesday. Services at the Mennonite church and cemetery, Schwenksville; undertaker F. W. Shalkop in charge.

Mrs. Emma Heebner.

Mrs. Emma Heebner, widow of the late Christopher Heebner, died on Friday at her home at Eagleville, aged 55 years. One son, Linwood, at home, survives. The funeral was held on Tuesday at 10 a. m. Services and interment in St. James' Reformed church and cemetery, Lincolnton; undertaker J. L. Bechtel in charge.

URINUS COLLEGE NOTES.

The Philadelphia Classis of the Reformed Church, which convened in Trinity church during last week, held an inspiring educational meeting in Bomberger Hall on Wednesday evening. Three college presidents were in attendance—Dr. H. H. Apple of Franklin and Marshall, Dr. W. F. Curtis of the Allentown College, and Dr. G. L. Omwake of Ursinus. The first two made strong pleas for higher education.

Those who witnessed one or both of the open-air Shakespearean performances by the Devereau Company last June on the college campus will welcome the news that they are to appear again this year. They will give an afternoon and an evening performance on the campus on Friday, June 4. The titles of the plays will be announced next week. An early opportunity will be given to make reservations. Persons holding season tickets for the college lecture course will be admitted to either one of the performances. To others the admission will be 50 and 75 cents. All persons holding reserved seat tickets for the lecture course should make new selections for the Devereau performances in view of the fact that if the weather permits they will be staged in the open air.

The first concert given by the Girls' Glee Club of the college on Tuesday evening was a decided success and deserves the heartiest commendation. The vocal numbers were, without exception, well selected and were rendered with good harmony and expression. The applause of the audience testified to the appreciation felt although, because of the length of the program, no encores were responded to. The second part of the program gave the audience a view of Ursinus activities from the standpoint of a stranger. Misses Wieser and Hanson, as "foreign women," deserve special mention.

ANNUAL EXHIBITION OF DRAWING

The second annual exhibition of the work done during the present school year in the department of drawing of the Collegeville schools will be held this Friday afternoon and evening, May 21. Miss Smedley has added several new features in this department this year such as basketry, stenciling and coloring. It is hoped there will be a large attendance to see the progress along these lines as well as to encourage the pupils by her presence.

RACE MEET AT LIMERICK CENTRE.

There will be a race meet at the Limerick Centre track on Saturday afternoon, June 5. Mr. J. P. Fretz, formerly proprietor of Perkiomen Bridge hotel and now proprietor of the Limerick Centre hotel, has greatly improved the track, made a full half mile course and a fast one. He is a lover of fast stepping horses and knows how to put a track in good shape. At the coming meet there will be interesting engagements in a number of classes to suit all who have horses to enter, and there will be an afternoon of pleasure on the turf at Limerick Centre on Saturday afternoon, June 5.

MEETING OF SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION.

The Sunday School Convention of the Montgomery County Sunday School Association will be held on Thursday evening and Friday morning, afternoon, and evening, May 27 and 28, in Grace Presbyterian church, Jenkintown. Dr. Adam Geibel, of Philadelphia, will direct the music. Delegates from many of the Sunday schools of the county will be in attendance.

Whooping Cough.

Well—everyone knows the effect of Pine Forests on coughs. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tree Honey is a remedy which brings quick relief for whooping cough, loosens the mucus, soothes the lining of the throat and lungs, and makes the coughing spells less severe. A family with growing children should not be without it. Keep it handy for all coughs and colds. 25c. at your druggist.

Electric Bitters a Spring Tonic.

BASEBALL NOTES.

In a well played game Ursinus College defeated Mercersburg on the latter's grounds, Friday afternoon, by a score of 4 to 1. In the second game of the week the College reserves went down before the strong St. Luke's team by a score of 12 to 0.

Last Friday the High School team played the Schissler's College nine on the Commons, and with very little effort Collegeville won by a score of 18 to 3. On Tuesday the team played Roysford on the home grounds and had a walk-over victory, the final score being 14 to 2. Dyson, our pitcher, struck out 13 batsmen, and had 2 hits himself. The game scheduled for Friday at North Coventry has been canceled. On Saturday next, the track team will go to the annual Pennsburg meet. Although they did not win anything at Penn, nevertheless they intend to do at Pennsburg.

SHOW! SHOW! SHOW!

We hereby again wish to call the attention of the public to the fact that the Ursinus College Y. M. C. A. fair and show, which was to be held Thursday evening, May 20, in Bomberger hall, has been postponed to the following Saturday evening, May 22. The show, which promises to be a good one, will begin at eight o'clock. Refreshments will be on sale before and after the show as well as some very useful articles, which have been donated to us by various business firms throughout the eastern section of the country. Among the refreshments will be some of the "old time" bean soup, the kind upon which our grandfathers used to live, while serving in the army. Admission to the show will be only 10 cents. The money which is realized on this, the first undertaking of its kind, will be used to carry on the work of the Y. M. C. A. and especially to send delegates to Eaglesmen conference this summer so that they may receive inspiration and so raise the moral tone of the community. So, come; the cause is a worthy one and we promise to give you your money's worth. Don't forget the date—May 22—and help us along by being present and bring some friend with you. This means U. M. C. A. CONFERENCE COMMITTEE OF Y. M. C. A.

POSSIBLE VICTIM OF HIGHWAY-

MEN DIED AT CHARITY HOSPITAL.

John Strause, aged 40 years, employed on the Calley farm, near Audubon, died at Charity Hospital, Monday morning. He was found unconscious, Sunday night, along the road in Jeffersonville. At the hospital he was found to be in a serious condition. Investigation resulted in the disclosure that Strause was seen in a fight on Sunday with several men, near Jeffersonville. His right trousers pocket and also the inside right coat pocket had been cut open or torn out. It is claimed that he had considerable money with him on Saturday. Two dollars and a cheap watch were found in his clothes. The funeral of the deceased will be held on Thursday from the residence of his father, John Strause, at Fairview Village. All services and interment at Wentz's church and cemetery, Worcester, at 2 o'clock. Undertaker J. L. Bechtel in charge of the remains.

Horse Thieves at Barren Hill.

Horse thieves visited Barren Hill Friday night and secured a valuable team from the stables of A. H. Farbutton. He states that the thieves entered the stables by forcing a lock. They selected the most valuable horse upon the premises and hitched it to a light buggy of the runaway pattern. The stolen horse is bay in color and was but recently clipped. It can be identified by two scars on the front knees and a scar upon one of the hind legs. The buggy is black with red running gears. A reward is offered for the arrest of the thief and the return of the team.

Teachers' Examinations.

County Superintendent J. Horace Landis has issued his schedule of dates for holding teachers' examinations throughout the county. On Wednesday, June 2, teachers for Upper Providence, Roysford, Trappe, Collegeville, Limerick, Lower Pottsgrove, West Pottsgrove will be examined at Washington school, Limerick; June 12, West Norriton, East Norriton, Plymouth, Lower Providence, Whitpain, Worcester, Upper Merion, West Conshohocken and Bridgeport, at Jeffersonville schoolhouse.

Wedding Announcement.

Mr. Calvin Rhoades has announced the marriage of his daughter Etha Mae S., to Christian G. Wismer, Thursday, May 6. The newly married couple are now at home in the upper part of Trappe and their numerous friends have been wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

Rheumatism Yields Quickly to Sloan's.

You can't prevent an attack of Rheumatism from coming on, but you can stop it almost immediately. Sloan's Liniment gently applied to the sore joint or muscle penetrates in a few minutes to the inflamed spot that causes the pain. It soothes the hot, tender, swollen feeling, and in a very short time brings a relief that is almost unbelievable until you experience it. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25c. of any druggist and have it in the house—against colds, sore and swollen joints, lumbago, sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief.

Anniversary and Donation Day at Rivercrest

Next Saturday afternoon there will be anniversary and donation day exercises at Rivercrest, the Country Branch of the Kensington Dispensary, near Mont Clare. The presence and favors of all who are interested in the good work at Rivercrest will be appreciated.

Your Child's Cough is a Call for Help.

Don't put off treating your child's cough. It not only saps their strength, but often leads to more serious ailments. Why risk it? You don't have to. Dr. King's New Discovery is just the remedy your child needs. It is made with soothing, healing and antiseptic balsams. Will quickly check the cold and soothe your child's cough away. No odds how bad the cough or how long standing. Dr. King's New Discovery will stop it. It's guaranteed. Just get a bottle from your druggist and try it.

INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBILITY.

When in our morning prayer we ask to be spared from sickness, let us pause to realize that health is often in our own hands to keep or fritter away.

We are often individually responsible for our personal health and in a degree for the health of those about us. In the vast majority of instances sickness is the result of indiscretion which is not unconscious though we may not stop to calculate the results.

If we knowingly jeopardize our individual health and risk illness on the chance that we will escape "this once," we are putting ourselves in the same category with the criminal who risks his freedom each time he breaks the law. Ethically the one is no better than the other. The man who willfully transgresses Nature's laws by excesses may have far less self control than one who violates the penal code.

If each individual member of a community failed to exercise control in the matter of his bodily well-being it would be dangerously immoral. If we are to improve the general health of our Nation it must be through stimulating individual citizens to appreciate their responsibilities.

Each man, woman and child should try and measure what individual health means. He should be brought to realize how easily it can slip away never to return. A single violation of a law of Nature may mean death or what is worse a lingering illness.

We are vigilant in watching our money lest it slip away and leave us impoverished and yet we are prodigal with our physical resources forgetting that the poorest individual is he who has lost his health.—Dr. Samuel G. Dixon, State Commissioner of Health.

UNDER NEW LAW TWIN BOROUGHS CAN UNITE.

It will be possible for Spring City and Roysford to assume city garb now, though the two boroughs are located at present in different counties with the Schuylkill river separating them. Governor Brumbaugh, last week, affixed his signature to an amendment of the Third Class City law whereby it is now made possible to create a city out of two or more boroughs or townships in two or more contiguous counties. The act will be applicable also to the consolidation of Bethlehem and South Bethlehem, where recently the latter city lost its city charter through an opinion of the higher courts on a question of regularity of a city charter vote.

TEMPORARY INTER-COUNTY BRIDGE.

The Commissioners of Montgomery and Chester counties are planning to have constructed within the next month a temporary bridge over the Schuylkill river between Mont Clare and Phoenixville, pending the building of a permanent structure. The commissioners of the two counties offer a reward of \$500 for information leading to the arrest of the person or persons who set fire to the old bridge.

Male Nurse Loses Claim.

Irvin H. Hiltelbeitel, of Pottstown, has been denied a \$375 claim against the estate of Mary E. Fritz, late of Pottstown. This decision was announced last week by Judge Jolly, of the Orphans' Court, in handing down an adjudication of the estate. Mr. Hiltelbeitel claimed that he was due \$375 for the service of nursing, which he performed for his sweetheart, Mary E. Fritz, during her long illness. A sister, Mrs. Krause, had nursed the young woman until she was worn out, and the man then volunteered to act as nurse, so it is stated. The Court states, that Hiltelbeitel's claim against the estate cannot be sustained, as there were no thoughts of remuneration when the service was rendered.

Unknown Man Committed Suicide.

An unknown man committed suicide late Monday night at the West Telford Hotel. The case is a rather mysterious one. The man appeared at the hotel on Sunday, and when he registered he placed a mere scrawl in the registry for his name. He acted in a rather mysterious manner. Late Monday night a shot was heard, and when the man's room was entered the dead body was found. A bullet in the man's brain had caused instant death. He was about 40 years of age.

Fairview Village and Vicinity

The commencement exercises of the Worcester High School will be held next Saturday night. There are seventeen graduates. The valedictorian of the class comes from this vicinity.

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Will Build Fine Summer Home.

Aldes J. Bernhart has purchased a five-acre plot of Irvin Hunsicker, below Limerick Square, and will erect thereon a palatial summer home, Japanese style. The main part will be of stone and tile. There will also be some fine landscape gardening done about the new place.

SPECIAL EXCURSION TO STATE COLLEGE.

A special excursion train will leave Norris-town and Reading over the Reading and New York Central lines to the Pennsylvania State College at State College on Tuesday, June 1, 1915. The fare will be \$4.00 for the round trip. The regular rates are about \$12.00. The train will leave DeKalb streets, Norris-town, at 5.55 a. m., stopping at Perkiomen Junction, Phoenixville, Roysford, Pottstown, and leave Reading at 7.00 a. m. Returning it will leave State College at 5.00 p. m. of the same day. The train will be personally conducted by Mr. D. L. Manger, the Reading district passenger agent, and the county agricultural agents of Berks and Montgomery. It will run via Williamsport through Pennsylvania's great anthracite coal mining regions. At State College the excursionists will be the guests of the School of Agriculture. The party will be met by teams furnished by the school and carried over the 1200 acres of farms and experimental plots. The 35 year fertilizer experiment plots and the live stock and the buildings are the pride of every one in the State. This trip would make an ideal trip for anyone, especially for farmers and their families. Each one should provide themselves with lunches for the day. If sufficient interest is shown, early and late cars will be arranged for on all the electric roads to Norris-town. A special train can also be provided on the Perkiomen railroad. A. K. ROEHENBERGER, County Agriculturalist.

ESTATES ADJUDICATED.

Judge Wm. F. Solly, of the Orphans' Court, recently adjudicated the following estates:

Estate of Sara A. Super, Collegeville, \$27,212.28, awarded to C. Amelia Hobson. Mrs. Super was the widow of Rev. Dr. Henry Super a former member of the faculty of Ursinus College, to which she made a bequest of \$20,000.

Estate of Dr. John Todd of Pottstown, \$182.50 awarded to the widow, Ulrich Heim, late of Upper Merion, balance, 917.47, which is awarded to four children, in equal shares.

Nathan F. Orner, late of Conshohocken, balance \$385.19, which is divided to satisfy in part the claims of five creditors.

Mary Y. Anderson, Lower Merion the fourth and final account, balance of income, for rent of warehouse in Philadelphia, \$243.17, which is awarded to three relatives, executors of W. H. Sutton, assignee of Isaac W. Anderson, Hannah A. Sutton and to the trustee for Andrew C. Anderson.

Daniel H. Beideman, late of Pottstown, balance for distribution \$2229.55, which is equally divided between Gertrude F. Bickel and Kate Amole.

Joseph K. Eyrie, late of Lower Merion, balance \$379.50. One fifth of this is awarded to four children and the balance is held by trustee for future accounting.

BLACK ROCK AND VICINITY.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bard and family, of Shoemakersville, visited in this vicinity on Saturday and Sunday.

Master Ralph Jones is recovering from an attack of tonsillitis.

Mr. Louis Kaiser of Roxborough, formerly of this place, who was operated upon for appendicitis, returned to the home of his parents near here on Monday.

Mr. Alvin Funk and Miss Elizabeth Funk and Mr. Norman Jones and Miss Mabel Jones spent Sunday in Chester county with the family of Aaron Funk.

Mr. John Showalter and Mrs. Gilbert, of Phoenixville, spent Wednesday last at Midway farm.

Mr. H. J. March will hold a cow sale at Walnut farm, the residence of John H. Longacre, on Monday, May 24th.

The annual opening of the children's home (River Crest farm) on Saturday, May 22, 1915. Everybody welcome, as a cordial invitation is extended to neighbors and friends.

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STATE HIGHWAY OFFICIALS ENTHUSIASTIC.

HARRISBURG, May 17.—Officials of the State Highway Department are taking great interest in the "State-wide Good Roads Day," May 26. State Highway Commissioner Cunningham intends to send his chief workers through the State on that day to assist and advise the workers wherever possible. According to the tentative arrangements, Commissioner Cunningham will spend the day in the western counties, First Deputy State Highway Commissioner Hunter in the southeastern part of the State and Chief Engineer Uhler in the eastern and central part of the State. Maintenance Engineer Biles will be assigned to a definite territory in the State and other officials of the Department will be on the job.

President Judge King, of the Armstrong County Court, has done his part to arouse the interest of his community to the aims of the "State-wide Good Roads Day." He has issued a proclamation in which he says:

"Whereas, From the standpoint of business, pleasure, convenience and economy, good roads are highly desirable and in an effort to obtain them, all good citizens should manifest special interest and concern; and

"Whereas, Good roads are an evidence of prosperity and are indicative of a progressive, wide-awake attitude of the people of the community and also tend to bring any county or community into good repute among strangers and travelers; and

"Whereas, Armstrong county desires to have and maintain a standing and a standard of good roads, many of our public spirited men have arranged and fixed May 26, 1915, as a day to be known as 'Good Roads Day' in and for our said county upon which day all men able to do manual labor are invited and urged to participate in a general united effort to repair and improve said public roads, the Court do now order, adjudge and decree as follows:

"That the men of our towns and cities, forthwith on the morning of said day, betake themselves to the country and join with the farmers, mechanics, laborers and men of all modes and professions, in actual manual labor on the said roads during the entire day. All those who fail to do so, be and the same are hereby adjudged to be in contempt of public sentiment and are ordered and directed to contribute a sum of money equal to a day's wages to the 'Good Roads Fund' and herein fail to incur penalty of public retribution."

Good for Judge King. Armstrong county should lead the procession on "State-wide Good Roads Day."

YERKES.

Mrs. Alvin Landis of Yerkes is in the Pottstown Hospital where she was operated on for inward trouble. On Sunday we were glad to hear that the operation was successful and hope to have her cheerful presence back with her family soon.

Susie May Detwiler, of North Wales, visited her mother, Mary Detwiler, over Sunday.

Andrew Mack and wife and Jesse Mack Jr. spent Sunday with Elmer Mack's family.

Edward Norris and Neil Detwiler spent Sunday with Jonathan Detwiler and family at Green Tree.

Rev. J. H. Mack, wife and daughter returned home from a trip through Lancaster county on Monday.

John G. Detwiler and wife spent Sunday with Webster Reaver and family.

John Bean, Sylvanus Tyson and John G. Detwiler, of Upper Providence, are doing jury duty this week.

Quite a number of our farmers bought cows during the last two weeks. Some were very fine ones and some that by their condition must have been lying around in fence corners waiting to come for many months.

Mr. I. Z. Reiner, of Eagleville, visited the cemetery at Yerkes on Saturday afternoon. Some of his ancestors are buried there.

A. G. Reiner was on a trip to the seashore on Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Elmer Gotwals and Isaac Detwiler and family spent Sunday with A. D. Gotwals and family.

A. D. Gotwals has the finest field of oats we have seen this spring. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Zern, a daughter.

Boy Burned to Death.

Evan Watkins, Jr., aged 4 years, was burned fatally Monday evening at the rear of the family residence on East Elm street, Conshohocken. The lad was playing with other children around a bonfire, and his clothing became ignited. He was horribly burned and died at four o'clock Tuesday morning.

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News From Trappe

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, of New York, spent the week's end with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. S. Gross.

Dr. Anders has purchased an automobile.

Paul Tyson and brother John had the luck to catch an eleven-pound carp in the Perkiomen.

Rev. George Drach will conduct the services in Augustus Lutheran church on Sunday. Rev. Fegely will confirm the class of Trinity Lutheran church at Quakertown.

Rev. W. O. Fegely attended the commencement exercises held at Mount Airy seminary on Tuesday.

George Miller and family will move to Meyerstown, Pa., this week.

Rev. Jacob Bowers is spending some time in Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. John Casselberry, of Evansburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Ziegler, Sunday.

Miss Sue Fry had her house painted.

PRESIDENT WILSON'S NOTE TO GERMANY.

President Wilson has with consummate wisdom and ability met the expectations of a vast majority of the people of the United States in his note to Germany, promulgated last Friday, relating to the wanton destruction of the Lusitania and the merciless sacrifice of human life. The note is smooth in diction, keenly discriminating in the use of words, and incisive in clarity and force of expression. It is both diplomatic and effective. Following are the most important and vital statements embodied in the note:

"Manifestly submarines cannot be used against merchantmen, as the last few weeks have shown, without an inevitable violation of many sacred principles of justice and humanity.

"American citizens act within their indisputable rights in taking their ships and in traveling wherever their legitimate business calls them on the high seas, and exercise those rights in what should be the well-justified confidence that their lives will not be endangered by acts done in clear violation of universally acknowledged international obligations, and certainly in the confidence that their own Government will sustain them in the exercise of their rights.

"Expressions of regret and offers of reparation in case of the destruction of neutral ships sunk by mistake, while they may satisfy international obligations, if no loss of life results, cannot justify or excuse a practice, the natural and necessary effect of which is to subject neutral nations and neutral persons to new and immeasurable risks.

"THE IMPERIAL GERMAN GOVERNMENT WILL NOT EXPECT THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES TO OMIT ANY WORD OR ANY ACT NECESSARY TO THE PERFORMANCE OF ITS SACRED DUTY OF MAINTAINING THE RIGHTS OF THE UNITED STATES AND ITS CITIZENS AND OF SAFEGUARDING THEIR FREE EXERCISE AND ENJOYMENT."

The last paragraph of the note pierces the marrow of the grave issue raised by the German Government, and there can be no doubt as to just what the President says. Moreover, the American people heartily endorse what the President says. War is to be abhorred and must be avoided, if it is possible to do so, but the destruction of additional American lives by German submarines will invite prompt and vigorous action on the part of the Government of the United States.

In discussing President Wilson's masterly and momentous note the New York Evening Post says:

"In words that can admit of no mistake he states the position of which this country is prepared to maintain with the last ounce of its energy. And he makes no attempt to hide the great gulf that is fixed between the rights which the United States will insist upon and the practices of the German naval officers. One or the other must give way. This is what makes the situation so critical. President Wilson has left no particle of uncertainty what this Government will do. It will not 'omit any word or act necessary to the performance of its sacred duty of maintaining the rights of the United States and its citizens and of safeguarding their free exercise and enjoyment.' There we take our stand. We can do no more. The rest is for the German Government to decide. All Americans hope for a peaceful settlement. But Germany can make the issue war if she chooses."

Mr. T. DARL BUCKWALTER is a candidate to succeed himself in the position of Recorder of Deeds. Some Republicans, and others who are not Republicans, tilt toward the conclusion that Mr. Buckwalter is having a pretty good harvest in the emoluments of one term. To offset this view it is claimed, and rightly so, that his record as Recorder of Deeds is a shining example of courtesy and official efficiency. Therefore, there is room for difference of opinion as to the matter of a second term, and a majority of the Republican party will occupy the most room; at the primary election.

If the Hon. Boies Penrose has not sufficient innate decency and common sense to prevent him from making a braying partisan of himself at a time when true American patriotism should rise high above machine politics and the odor from political flesh pots, the average Pennsylvania Republican has; and, for a United States Senator to fall below the average of his own party—in patriotism—is evidence of his absolute unfitness to hold a high position of public honor and responsibility.

STRANGE as it may seem to some observers of public men, ex-President Taft is a greater man now than when he occupied the President's chair and was subjected to the bitter and unjustifiable criticism of those within his own party. Says the Indianapolis News: "Not often has the nation had a wiser ex-President than William H. Taft. In every complication that the present Administration has faced—and it surely has had more than his share of complications—Mr. Taft has advised the people to stand steadfastly by the Administration. In the present crisis he has refused to say anything that might embarrass the President, but has, on the contrary, told the people that he was in every way worthy of their support and confidence. In nothing has Mr. Taft done so much to deserve the respect and affection of the country as in the policy that he has uniformly observed in his retirement. He has shown himself—what every one knew that he was—to be a true patriot."

THE recent parade of the Woman Suffrage party in Philadelphia was too much for one Florence Goff Schwarz. The sight, or report, of the demonstration threw her into a frenzy—which materialized in frenzied poetry, concluding as follows:

"Stand back! Make room for the grand parade while the Suffragist banner flies,
But every three minutes while women march a sacrificed baby dies."

"Sacrificed" by whom, Florence? The poem is peurile and scurrilous and is manifestly unjust to every woman suffragist who is a mother. There is a great host of good wives and good mothers enlisted in the righteous equal suffrage cause, and they will continue to be good wives and mothers. Babies are not and will not be sacrificed because women are striving for their just rights. Are babies being sacrificed because Florence Goff Schwarz and many high Society ladies are laboring against right and justice for their own sex?

In a conference held in the First Baptist Church, Philadelphia, last week, all the leading ministers declared themselves in favor of giving women the ballot. The keynote of the conference was struck by the Rev. Dr. E. B. Pollard, of Crozer Theological Seminary, when he said that instead of "pulling women down" the entrance of the fair sex into the political field would have an "ennobling effect on politics." "By giving women the ballot we are not going to take one iota from all of the things which go to make good women. We are not going to destroy her love for her home and her love for her babies. With women having a say in the government we shall see better politics. I never knew women to apply themselves to anything and not improve it." Dr. Pollard takes a rational view of the suffrage question.

Scientific Farming

A MENACE TO ALFALFA.

Clover Root Pest or Curculio Grub a Dangerous Insect.

[Prepared by United States department of agriculture.]

The clover root curculio in its most dangerous form is a tiny grub which seriously injures the roots both of clover and alfalfa, sometimes working upward into the stem. Only a short time ago it was considered of little economic importance, but it has now been definitely established that serious injuries formerly credited to other pests or with their cause unknown are due to this tiny white grub. The insect seems to be continually increasing along roadsides and in clover fields, and the department is now requesting that alfalfa growers report to it any evidences of the insect's devastations.

This insect is now found in most of the northern states east of the Mississippi; also in Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Utah and Colorado, in the west, and in Virginia, North Carolina, Tennessee, Kentucky and Louisiana, in the south.

There is only one practical suggestion that at present can be made for limiting the devastations of this pest. That is by disking or harrowing the fields as soon as the first hay crop is



A YOUNG ALFALFA FIELD.

removed. The process, it would seem, will destroy vast numbers of the pupae of this insect, which do not descend much more than an inch below the surface. The disking and harrowing should be done immediately after removing the first hay crop, and prompt action even at this time will not prevent injury to that season's crop, but should considerably reduce the pest the following year.

The devastations of the grubs are confined particularly to the roots of clover and alfalfa. Their work is therefore not evident to the casual observer, and the little white insects themselves can hardly be noticed. The adult insect also, which is a tiny beetle, injures both clover and alfalfa, but these injuries are less serious, although more noticeable. They may be particularly noticed in September and October, when mutilated clover leaves along any roadside will testify to their abundance.

It was only in May, 1914, that the first absolute proof was secured of the insect's serious devastations in alfalfa fields, and the department is still looking for the most practicable methods to prevent further losses. It seems that a short rotation of the alfalfa crop might have a tendency to limit the abundance of the insect in the fields, but this would not affect the continuous breeding of the pest in waste lands or where clover or alfalfa occur uninterruptedly. The limited amount of food consumed by the adults would place the application of poisons out of practical consideration, and the burning over of fields in winter would hardly destroy enough of the hibernating adults to limit their devastations the following season.

MARKET GARDENING

If the radish plants stand too thickly thin them to stand at proper distances. The small button radishes need not be more than one and one-half inches apart in the row, while the long rooted varieties should be about four inches apart. Thinning is often necessary to obtain roots of large and uniform size.

Beets often come up too thickly and should be thinned. This operation is even more important than for endives, Parsnips, carrots, salinity and early turnips may also require attention in this respect.

Cultural experiments at the Pennsylvania State college, conducted on a large scale, show that it is perfectly feasible to grow potatoes between rows of young apple trees and to do this in the same ground year after year. The potatoes are always followed by rye, which is plowed down for manure. The purpose of each crop of potatoes. The apple trees are seven years old, and they have made 12 per cent better growth than those which have been grown in cultivated ground followed by a cover crop—National Stockman and Farmer.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

Look after worn spots on the lawn. Mow them well and spade deeply. Rake and sow grass seed.

Some of the schizanthus hybrids are striking flowers. They may be used as cut flowers and always attract attention.

Golden Bantam is one of the best early sweet corn. It is not quite so early as Peep o' Day, but is of better quality.

Set out a strawberry bed as soon as the soil can be worked and the plants secured. Senator Dunslop is a good variety.

Arbor day is a good time to get the school children interested in cleaning up the schoolyard and planting it with shrubs and trees.

If nursery stock is received in a dry condition thoroughly wet the plants and either heel them in or put them in a cool, moist cellar for a few days. A good lawn is secured by sowing a thoroughly well prepared rich soil with forty-two pounds of pure Kentucky blue grass, five pounds of solid red and three pounds of white clover per acre. Sow as soon as the land can be well prepared, rake the seed in well and roll lightly.—Le Roy Cadzow, Associate Horticulturist, University Farm, St. Paul.

FARM COMMANDMENTS.

These nine agricultural commandments were formulated by Dr. S. A. Knapp of the United States department of agriculture, and their wisdom has been proven by many years of experience.

First.—Prepare a deep and thoroughly pulverized seed bed, well drained; break in the fall to the depth of eight, ten or twelve inches, according to the soil, with implements that will not bring too much of the subsoil to the surface. The foregoing depths should be reached gradually.

Second.—Use seed of the best quality, thoroughly selected and carefully stored.

Third.—In cultivated crops give the rows and the plants in the rows a space suited to the plant, the soil and the climate.

Fourth.—Use intensive tillage during the growing period of the crops.

Fifth.—Secure a high content of humus in the soil by the use of legumes, barnyard manure, farm refuse and commercial fertilizers.

Sixth.—Carry out a systematic crop rotation with a winter cover crop on southern farms.

Seventh.—Accomplish more work in a day by using more horsepower and better implements.

Eighth.—Increase the farm stock to the extent of utilizing all the waste products and idle land of the farm.

Ninth.—Keep an account of each farm product in order to know how much the gain or loss arises.

SPRAY FOR PEAR SLUGS.

Pests Can Be Readily Destroyed by a Contact or Arsenical Spray.

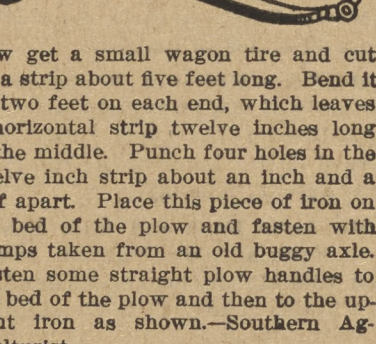
[C. R. Jones, Colorado station.]

The leaves of cherry, pear and plum trees are repeatedly attacked by the pear slug. The name "slug" is somewhat misleading, as the people in general think of it as being a small snail, when in reality it is the larva of one of our leaf eating hymenopterous insects, which are known as sawflies.

These larvae feed upon the upper epidermis of the leaves, in many cases completely skeletonizing them, and in time they turn brown and wither. Badly infested orchards have the appearance of having been swept by fire. Entire defoliation of trees in many cases occurs by midsummer, and the fruit fails to fully mature. In cases of later complete defoliation the vitality of the trees is so weakened that the fruit buds for the succeeding year are weakened, hence a shortage in production.

There is no need of this loss by these insects, as they can readily be destroyed by a contact or arsenical spray. Arsenate of lead, four pounds, or paris green, one pound, to 100 gallons, may be used successfully as a spray with water. Or the slugs may be controlled by an application of freshly slacked lime dusted upon the leaves, or white hellebore, two ounces to 100 gallons of water, or "black leaf 40" at the rate of one gallon to 500 gallons of water. The last may be applied in a considerably weaker solution by adding a little soap, four or five pounds, to the mixture. In cases of thorough applications, one gallon of black leaf 40 to 1,300 gallons of water, have given very satisfactory results, but for all general purposes, one gallon to 1,000 gallons of water is to be recommended.

Homemade Weed Plover.
Get an old buggy axle and cut it in half. Flatten the large end of each strip into the shape of a small scissor. Bend this flattened piece down eight or nine inches, then bend the small end of the axle strips so they will meet. Flatten the small ends and punch a hole through each piece. Get a strip of iron an inch wide and six inches long and bend to form a cleft, punching a hole in each end to fit the holes in the axle, and bolt in place.



Now get a small wagon tire and cut off a strip about five feet long. Bend it up two feet on each end, which leaves a horizontal strip twelve inches long in the middle. Punch four holes in the twelve inch strip about an inch and a half apart. Place this piece of iron on the bed of the plover and fasten with clamps taken from an old buggy axle. Fasten some straight plow handles to the bed of the plover and then to the upright iron as shown.—Southern Agriculturist.

Growing Raspberries.
The raspberry prefers a sandy or light clay loam on a cool slope if possible. The soil should be fertile, well drained and moisture retentive. Raspberries are generally grown in rows about six feet apart, and the plants are set at intervals of from three to five feet, the black varieties being given more space than the red. If the ground has been well prepared early in the spring, no special preparation for the young plants. The earth, of course, must be well firmed about the roots.

A Timely Question.
"Love me and the world is mine," said the impassioned youth.
"Do be sensible, Henry," replied the practical girl. "I care not for the world. Tell me whether or not there is any permanency attached to your job."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Actual Fact.
"The ancient Romans used to write on wax tablets."
"I've heard about melting letters, but I thought that was just a figure of speech."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Care of the Brood Sow.
The quality of your spring crop of pigs will be determined by the kind of care you are now giving your brood sows. Don't keep them on dry feed. They need plenty of milk, corn, but lots of roughage. Alfalfa or even clover hay will be relished. Mangels or other roots could not have a better use. With this kind of feed the sows will have plenty of milk and they will not eat their pigs.

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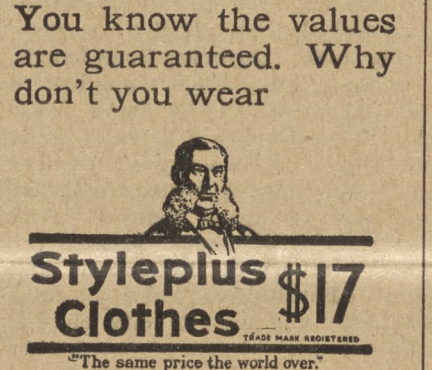
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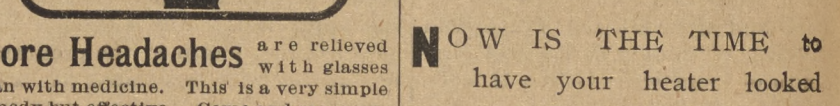
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WHITHER THOU GOEST

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"And thou wilt return to me, my husband?"

"Soul of mine, why dost thou doubt? Lorinka, I go. There remains but the night between me and Sakhalin, the grave of my country. And we are starving, little Madonna, and a man's work is a man's work."

"Why do you tremble so? It is but a little mouse gnawing my boot, a bold little mouse. I will return quickly from America and wait for you in Italy, where the Russian police may not seek me out and the sun always shines."

"And if thou die, my life?"

"I will die, beautiful child, with thee."

"And—and some one else—Olga, who goes with thee?"

"Ah, soul of mine, I am thine! My body goes unwillingly, and my soul stays with thee. I will return quickly from America and wait for you in Italy, where the Russian police may not seek me out and the sun always shines."

"I cannot let thee go."

He wrapped his great shouba with its warmth of sheepskin about her, but the girl still trembled, yet not with the deadly cold.

She was a beautiful girl and nearly as tall as he. Her blue-black hair was in great plaits around her head.

Her wide black eyes, lidded with long lashes and the eyebrows arching delicately above them, were now wild with terror.

She was the bride of a year, and her husband was fleeing in the night from the Russian police.

There was a noise outside, the wheels of a cart dragging in the mud, and above it came clearly the silver tones of the bells of the drosky, which arches from the shaft above the horse's neck.

Lorinka straightened her body till it was rigid in suspense.

Before the narrow door of the little hut drew up a Siberian horse, white and beautiful as the snow it stepped on, with long, flowing tail and mane and the peculiar grace of its species.

A girl stepped down from the loose hay she sat on.

She stood half embarrassed, half smiling, her glance lingering over every feature of Michael's—the straight even brows that were drawn, the shadows beneath the high malarious shoulders, which were strong like a bull; seeing even on the floor at his feet the old cap, that he had worn six years when a Cossack, fast freezing to the ground, and a tiny silver cross on his chain on his breast.

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her letters, and Olga became a song bird for joy, but he seemed, as he had said that night on the steppes, a body without a soul.

Then word came that Lorinka had been sent to prison in Siberia for the vague reason of aiding her husband to escape, and during the ensuing fever Olga tended him when his hot, parched lips called forth in delirium: "Lorinka! Lorinka! Liuboff mola!"

That was the only happiness that Olga snatched to her breast—the dream of a sick man who saw her as the form of his beloved—and she waited and watched over after with the memory of those hours.

She knew Michael Michaelovitch would be hers in the end, and Michael toward her, and Olga's eyes grew soft. But he brought his friend Alexander Alexandrovitch to her, and Olga died with her heart in her mouth.

The next day Michael greeted her with a rare smile, and her heart trembled within her.

"Olga, Olga, dorogaya!" he called her. "Lorinka has escaped! She comes by the next steamer!"

Wild with delight that Thursday, Michael waited down in the big government building at Ellis Island in the room that has been called the "kissing post," where bare walls and supporting columns have been known to glimmer and sparkle.

The minutes dragged, and Lorinka did not come.

Michael went from one official to another. He saw Mishka, from his old village. She had been on the boat with him. She must be detained in the building somewhere.

He found her seated on a bench in a small room.

Her eyes stared before her, but she looked up at the sound of footfalls.

Swiftly the soul swept passionately into them and she lay in his arms, knowing no world beyond their shelter, her heart singing.

The doctor, a young man with white hair and a sympathetic voice, put his hand on Michael's shoulder.

"Her eyes—trachoma," he said softly. "She must go back. Perhaps—who can tell?—she may soon be cured and then come again."

Slowly the words sank into the deep waters of Michael's soul.

His face was heavy, his straight brows were drawn.

"She is my wife," he spoke brusquely, his deep voice filled with still passion.

"I am a citizen, an American citizen!"

"Perhaps—in a year or six months?" The doctor's words trickled into silence.

Michael put his hand to his head and glanced round the room with the same dull glance with which he had gazed at the bare hut that night on the steppes, and his thoughts were there in the bitter cold.

"My very soul! Go back!" He looked at her and laughed. It was a hard, strange sound.

He leaned down and drew her mouth to his.

And gray skies, the expanse of eternal snows, whistling blizzards, the steppes everlastingly the same with their vastness and loneliness, their undulating waves of lush grass, the purple voloski with its pall of color, the white kashka with its mushroom heads drooping, the sallow dore and the silver, timid moon—Siberia, the dune—

Lorinka's eyes, charged with dreams, were on his face.

Suddenly and passionately both his arms shot up in supplication.

"Go back!" he cried. "Da-da. Yes, yes, I go—I go if it were to hell! We are alone here, alone."

His hands dropped down again in a mighty embrace, encircling the woman, and in his passionate, primitive way he took her off her feet.

The steppes, that Russian sea, surged up before him, but now it crashed them in the arms of night, with love like a rich and lustrous coat shutting out the cold.

"We go together, always together—together—together!" he cried in a wild, exultant passion.

The bare walls echoed again and again and again, softly, triumphantly.

"Together!" Little Olga, standing near by, dried her eyes.

She now knew her patient waiting had been in vain—that she had lost him forever.

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